

CROSS OF HONOR.

Daughters of Confederacy Confer it Upon a Number of Veterans.

Rev. Dr. Evans Delivers Eloquent Eulogy Upon the Matchless Lee—Glowing Tribute to Women of the South.

Monday was the anniversary of General Robert E. Lee's birth, and Dr. Basil C. Duke Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, in commemoration of the event conferred the Southern Cross of Honor upon a number of the veterans of the "Lost Cause."

The exercises were held at the court house, beginning at 1:30 p. m. The rostrum was appropriately decorated with the "stars and bars" and the "stars and stripes," the national colors serving as a background for the colors of the Confederacy. Mrs. W. H. Robb, President of the local chapter, made a dignified and most accomplished presiding officer. The exercises attracted quite a large crowd, some of the veterans of the other side being present and joining in the songs. Rev. R. E. Moss led the singing. The audience joined heartily on singing "My Old Kentucky Home," after prayer by Rev. Dr. Molloy. Mrs. J. C. Pickett, of Tuckahoe, read an account of the origin of the Cross of Honor, with the rules that had been adopted to govern the conference upon the veterans, and to prevent its being worn unworthily.

Rev. Dr. C. F. Evans, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, was then introduced and delivered a grand eulogy upon the life and character of that matchless Confederate chieftain, General Robert E. Lee. He brought out in glowing colors Lee's abilities as a military leader and closed with a splendid tribute to the distinguished General as a Christian citizen whose nobility of character entitled him to rank among the best and greatest of our land. The BULLETIN hopes to publish Dr. Evans' address in the near future.

At the close of the tribute to Lee, Mrs. Geo. W. Sulser read a poem, "The Southern Cross of Honor," and then Mrs. T. J. Chenoweth, Secretary of the chapter, called the roll of the veterans who were to receive the badge of honor. As the names were called, those present went forward and were decorated with the cross by Mrs. Robb.

The Southern Cross of Honor was then conferred on the following veterans of Henry L. Giltner Camp, U. C. V., of Brooksville:

Browning, Harrison, private, Co. A, 7th Ky. Bat. Vol.
Bradley, George H., private, Co. F, 9th Ky. Cav. Vol.
Colvin, Charles H., private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Culp, Oscar D., private, Co. A, 1st Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Colvin, Levi A., private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Coleman, Robert, private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Corlis, T. Lloyd H., private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Carpenter, John, private, Co. G, 10th Va. Cav. Vol.
Lenox, John, private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Mullikin, Leonard, private, Co. F, 9th Ky. Cav. Vol.
Murphy, Alfred, private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Neal, M. M., private, Co. C, 9th Ky. Cav. Vol.
Pope, Lewis C., private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Wallin, David J., First Lieutenant, Co. S, 8th Reg. Ky. Cav. Vol.

Others on whom the cross was conferred were:

Evans, Rev. Charles F., Chaplain, Co. F, Crescent Reg. Louisiana Vol.
Ogden, Oliver O., private, Co. A, 7th Bat. Ky. Cav. Vol.
Robinson, Rufus E., private, Co. E, 8th Ky. Cav. Vol.
Stockdale, Geo. W., Co. H, 9th Ky. Cav. Vol.

In accepting the crosses, Hon. H. P. Willis, of Brooksville, paid a most eloquent and deserved tribute to the women of the South.

"The valor, the patience, the fortitude of the men who wore the gray have been commemorated," said the speaker, "by the chisel of the sculptor, the pen of the poet and historian, and the eloquence of the orator: they have monopolized and filled the whole field of adulation to the exclusion of all others. And so it has been in all countries and ages—the men have received all the honors of every war. To commemorate the valor of his soldiers, Napoleon built the Column Vendôme from cannon captured at Austerlitz; England's proudest shaft was raised to the memory of Nelson, while Germany has her magnificent statue of victory to perpetuate the memory of those who fell in the Franco-German war. All over our own Southland are handsome monuments erected to the valor of our comrades, and a large majority of them are the result of the untiring devotion and patriotism of our Southern women. To our shame be it said, no 'marble minstrel's voiceless stone' lifts its head to perpetuate the memory of the devotion, courage and patriotism of the women

of the South, to whose inspiration the Southern soldier owes his fame. Their hands buckled the armor on sire, son, brother, husband and lover while every nerve was attuned to anguish. With brave words they sent them forth to battle for home and country, the while their hearts were breaking with agony. With smiles they waived their last adieu, that the loved ones might bear that smile with them to cheer the weary march, or, perhaps, the death agony. That was heroism in the highest degree, for it was the heroism that immolated self, and even love, upon the altar of patriotism.

"The maid that binds her warrior's sword,
With smile that well her pain dissembles,
The while beneath her drooping lash
A starry tear-drop hangs and trembles;
Though Heaven alone rewards that tear,
And Fame shall never know her story,
Her heart has shed a drop as dear
As e'er bedewed the field of glory."

The wife who glides her husband's sword
Mid little ones who weep or wonder:
And bravely speaks the parting word,
Although her heart be rent asunder;
Doomed in her nighty dreams to hear,<
The bolts of death around him rattle;
Her heart has shed a drop as dear
Than e'er was shed on field of battle."

When the war ended, when the banner she loved was forever furled, and when her soldier maimed, defeated, disheartened, well-nigh hopeless and wholly poverty-stricken, returned to her it was from her love and devotion that he drew the strength to pick up the broken threads of life and weave anew the web of home and comfort. As an eloquent Southerner has said of this phase of her heroism: "She pinched up the thistle and planted the rose; she made the desolate land to blossom and bloom again, and when the true and impartial history of these fearful times shall have been written, it will be truly recorded that of all the agencies given by a merciful God to an impoverished and disheartened people for the upbuilding and restoration of the land, the most glorious was the women of the South."

Mr. Willis closed with a touching reference to the work of the Daughters in erecting monuments to the dead and living, building asylums for the helpless veterans and for the orphans, in gathering in beautiful cemeteries the remains of the dead, and lastly in conceiving the idea of decorating the survivors with the Cross of Honor "as a perpetual souvenir of their devotion and approbation of deeds of valor done."

Following his address Miss Frances Boulden of Tuckahoe, feelingly recited "The Lost Cause" and after singing the "Swanee River," the benediction was pronounced by Rev. R. E. Moss.

Mrs. Robert Lane died Monday morning at the home of the family near Poyntz's distillery. She had been an invalid for several years. Her husband, who is also in feeble health, survives her. The funeral takes place this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Burial in Charleston Bottom cemetery.

DISCRIMINATION Of Certain European Countries Against the United States.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Senator Lodge introduced a resolution directing the committee on finance to inquire whether certain countries are discriminating against the United States of America, and if so, what law should be passed to give the countries preferential duties which do not discriminate against this country. The resolution refers to the discrimination of France, Germany and Russia against the United States. It went to the table in order to give Senator Aldrich an opportunity to make a statement concerning the subject.

The department of commerce and labor bill as amended by the house, was referred to the committee on commerce. The senate, then, on motion of Mr. Cullum (Ills.) went into executive session to consider the Cuban treaty.

United Mine Workers.

Indianapolis, Jan. 19.—The United Mine Workers' 14th annual convention opened in Tomlinson hall. The hall had been prettily decorated and John Mitchell's picture had been used prominently in the festoons over the stage and on the facing of the balcony. When President Mitchell arrived there were over 600 delegates in the hall. When he appeared on the stage he received a great ovation. John L. Feltham, representing President George Custer of the Indianapolis Central Labor union, in behalf of organized labor of Indianapolis, delivered a short address of welcome. Mayor Bookwalter made a short address of welcome in behalf of the city. Mr. Mitchell made a very short response and the preliminary work of the convention organization—the report of the committee on credentials—was taken up.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 19.—Ex-Mayor Hewitt, who died in New York Saturday had nearly a \$1,000,000 invested in various enterprises in the state of Montana. Mr. Hewitt was one of the original promoters of the Great Falls smelter which was afterward consolidated with the East Helena works under the name of the Union Smelting and Refining company, of which company he was manager and many years a director. Mr. Hewitt was also prime mover in the construction of the big electrical transmission plant of the Missouri Power company at Canyon Ferry, which furnishes power to Butte mines, 100 miles distant.

MINISTER BOWEN HERE

He Reaches Charleston From Venezuela and Goes to Washington.

BRIEFLY DISCUSSES THE SITUATION.

Shelling of Fort San Carlos by a German Warship and the Result—Important Developments Anticipated.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 19.—The United States dispatch boat Dolphin, from Jamaica, with Minister to Venezuela H. W. Bowen and Mrs. Bowen on board, came into the harbor. Mr. Bowen proceeded to Washington by rail at 5 p. m. He declined to speak of conditions in Venezuela.

Mr. Bowen said that he was going to Washington to represent Venezuela on the commission which would prepare the plan for arbitration of the



MINISTER HERBERT BOWEN.

difficulty between that country and the European powers. He was not an attorney for Venezuela, he explained, and was not to be remunerated for his services by the Venezuelan government. He said he was acting at the request of and from courtesy to the Venezuelan government and at the desire of the United States government, in the hope that his undertaking would bring about an early settlement of the trouble. Mr. Bowen said that the Venezuelan government had allowed him \$5,000 for the expenses of his mission, which he would account for in the usual form and that besides this there would be no expense to Venezuela for his services.

New German Ambassador Talks.

Berlin, Jan. 19.—Baron Von Sternberg has received his official appointment as ambassador to the United States and was given parting instructions by Emperor William. He discussed German-American relations in the course of an interview, saying, among other things: "The trouble with the German embassy in Washington has been heretofore that it has not been sufficiently in touch with the American spirit. Personally I admire Dr. Von Holleben very much, but he did not grasp the spirit of the American people. Before perfect relations can be secured between Germany, America and England, it is necessary that the German and American press should be more fair. In German military and naval circles it is hard to uproot the impression that the Monroe doctrine is not an instrument used by the United States to hold South America."

Shelling of the Fort.

Maracabo, Venezuela, Jan. 19.—The German cruiser Panther shelled Fort San Carlos, at the entrance to Lake Maracabo, for one hour. The fort returned fire with four guns. The Panther withdrew in the direction of Curacao. Fort San Carlos is 22 miles from Maracabo, and commands the entrance to the lake or inner bay. General Bello, the commander of the fort, says: "Fort San Carlos was attacked and shelled, without any provocation on our part, without previous notification or the delivering of an ultimatum, by the German cruiser Panther, which tried to force the entrance. After a fight lasting an hour, during which the fort used only four guns, the Panther was obliged to abandon the fight and retreated in the direction of Curacao. The fort has suffered no damage and only three men were wounded."

Discussed the Blockade.

Berlin, Jan. 19.—In the reichstag Treasurer Secretary Von Thielmann, in opening the budget debate, alluded to the Venezuelan blockade. He said: "The appropriation for the navy has not yet been increased by the blockade, which became necessary through the unfriendly attitude, to use no stronger expression, of the Venezuelan government toward our well grounded claims. The government at

first thought it would be necessary to ask for a supplementary credit, but the vessels being near at hand, the extra expense has not been great. We do not know how long the blockade will continue, and it may be necessary to ask for money later."

EDITOR GONZALES DEAD

After Battling Four Days For Life. Doctors Tried Formaline.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 19.—Editor N. G. Gonzales died at 1 p. m. After battling almost four days for life, the victim of Lieutenant Governor James H. Tillman's bullet, passed away at the Columbia hospital. Mrs. Gonzales was with her husband when death came. When the bulletin was posted announcing the death, the crowds, which have been about the bulletin boards almost constantly since the tragedy, increased rapidly and all phases and details of the tragedy were discussed. In his cell where he has been confined since the shooting, Lieutenant Governor Tillman heard the news with visible emotion. There is universal sorrow. For hours it was evident that the crisis had arrived. Mr. Gonzales, as he became more nervous, was subjected to vomiting and generally grew worse. He continued to lose ground until the end. The last heroic treatment resorted to was the use of formaline. One fifth of a grain was injected in the veins in the hope of stopping blood poisoning.

Train Jumps the Track.

Sycamore, Ills., Jan. 19.—The Des Moines and Minneapolis train on the Chicago Great Western railway struck a broken rail near a bridge west of Sycamore, left the rails, crossed the bridge on the ties and rolled down a 20-foot embankment. Engineer J. D. Healy was killed and 30 persons were injured. The cars and the locomotive turned over and were demolished. Most of the injured sustained bruises or slight fractures. Five men escaped from the overturned cars uninjured. They broke windows and aided the frightened and bruised persons inside to escape from steam and splinters. One man walked to Wasco and telegraphed to Sycamore for help. The more severely injured persons, all of whom live in Iowa, were taken to a hospital.

Murder Charged.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Letitia Eagle, wife of S. S. Eagle, a superintendent of the Pressed Steel Car company, and prominent in social circles at Avaton, a suburb of this city, was arraigned in criminal court charged with the murder of her 13-year-old ward, Edna Varner, on May 9 last. When the girl's death was reported to the coroner it was announced that she had committed suicide, but on account of her youth, an investigation was started by District Attorney Haymaker and later an information was made against Mrs. Eagle, charging her with the killing. Mrs. Eagle swore that she was absolutely innocent of the crime.

Test of Labor Unions.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 19.—The first real test of strength between the boot and shoe workers' union and the cutters' assembly of the Knights of Labor in the war between the two labor organizations is expected to come in this city when the boot and shoe workers' union will make an attempt to send its own men into the shoe factories to fill the places of the Knights of Labor shoe cutters, now on strike. The fight is looked upon as one of extermination for one or the other of the unions involved.

Coal Teamsters Strike.

Cleveland, Jan. 19.—With the temperature only a few degrees above zero, and hundreds of families throughout the city in urgent need of fuel, a strike was declared by the Teamsters' union No. 267, which is almost exclusively composed of drivers of coal delivery wagons. While it is not known exactly how many men are out, practically every yard in the city is affected. The drivers demand advances averaging about \$4 per week for each man.

Wound Fatal.

Winipog, Man., Jan. 19.—Henry Toews, who some time ago shot the school trustee and three pupils, one of the latter dying, died in the provincial jail from convulsions. After the murder he shot himself in the head and the bullet was never removed. The murderer was repentant for his crime. He was to have been tried in the spring.

Hermann's Successor.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The resignation of Blinger Hermann of Oregon as commissioner of the general land office, to take effect Feb. 1, was placed in the hands of the president. The nomination of W. A. Richards, ex-governor of Wyoming, to succeed him, will be made.

Firemen Lewis Hahn and James Graham were killed by the explosion of a locomotive boiler near Moulrovia, Indiana.

CONSPIRACY CHARGED

Coal Operators and Retail Dealers Are Indicted at Chicago.

BILL RETURNED AGAINST FORTY-FIVE

Railways Held Not Responsible For the Fuel Famine—Grounds Upon Which the Grand Jurors Based Their Action.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—A true bill was returned against 45 coal operators and retailers, charging conspiracy to do an illegal act injurious to public trade. The indictments are against both corporations and individuals doing business in Illinois and Indiana. Bail was fixed at \$1,500.

Accompanying the return of the indictments was an explanatory report setting forth the grounds upon which the jurors based their action. The shortage, they declare, they found due "primarily and principally to the recent great strike in the anthracite coal fields." Bituminous coal could not be mined and stored in sufficient quantities to supply the deficiency caused by the restricted output from the anthracite mines, "first, because the capacity of the mines could not be more increased, so materially on short notice, and, secondly, because the storing of bituminous coal during the summer months is inexpedient owing to the danger of deterioration through slacking and of destruction by fire through spontaneous combustion." The railroads they believed to be doing all in their power to move the coal promptly to market.

The jury find that there existed in the city of Chicago and in Illinois and in neighboring states "certain combinations which it deems to be conspiracies or combinations in restraint of trade within the meaning of the statutes," as follows: "The Northern Illinois Soft Coal association, the Retailers' association of Illinois and Wisconsin; a certain combination of Indiana coal operators with the Crescent Coal and Mining company. While not differing in character and scope from some combinations in other lines of business, the jurors deemed it their duty to present the foregoing indictments. Other associations of operators and coal dealers were found to exist and to have more or less effect in the fixing of prices and restricting competition, but against whom the evidence did not warrant action. They are the Chicago Coal Exchange and the Chicago Track Dealers' association."

Strike Commission.

Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—Interest in the proceedings of the anthracite coal commission is waning. Colonel H. A. Phillips, general superintendent of the mining department of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company, was the first witness called. He testified that the company never heard any complaints against paying the men by the car instead of by weight until the advent of the United Mine Workers. Colonel Phillips said the contract miners will now cut only five or six cars of coal each instead of six or seven as they did previous to the strike of 1900. In consequence the company, he said, has to employ 10 per cent more men now than it did two years ago, in order to get out the same amount of coal. From 1877 to 1900 the relations between the men and the company were pleasant. The wages of the workmen, he said, were voluntarily increased 35 per cent. Including the increase given as a result of the 1900 strike, the wages of the men have been increased 45 per cent since 1877.

Street Car Smashed.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Two people were seriously hurt and about 10 more or less injured by a grade crossing accident at Hazlewood. The Versailles accommodation of the Baltimore and Ohio road, southbound, crashed into a Homestead and McKeesport street car coming to the city. Gertrude Hann, 24, was cut about the head and said to be injured internally. David Cruikshank, body badly bruised and cut and leg fractured. The other passengers were cut, bruised and otherwise injured and were taken to their homes. The accident was caused, it is thought, by a misunderstanding of the warning given by the flagman. The northbound Versailles accommodation had just passed and the street car started across the tracks when it was struck by the train coming in the opposite direction.

French Officer Entertains.

Santiago, Cuba, Jan. 19.—Admiral Rivet, commander of the Atlantic division of the French fleet, and the officers of the flagship Tage, entertained the local officials and prominent residents of the city. There was a ball on board. The Tage then started for Havana.

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.
ROSSER & MCCARTHY,
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TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1903

THE WEATHER RECORD.

[For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.]
State of weather.....Clear
Highest temperature.....33
Lowest temperature.....17
Mean temperature.....25
Wind direction.....Northerly
Precipitation (inches) rain, or snow melted......40
Previously reported for January.....1.82
Total for January to date.....1.82
Jan. 20 9:44 a. m.—Snow or rain to-night and probably Wednesday. Warmer to-night in western portion.

One of the leading educators of the country says that we do not need any more universities; that the country is already overstocked with them, and we could get along very well without establishing another one for at least fifty years. He suggests that the best way for philanthropic millionaires to use their money is to endow the public grammar schools and high schools, so that children who really need an education may get it.

SPARE THE HOLY TAXES!

It is interesting to note that while Secretary Shaw recognizes the evil of locking up money in the treasury and proposes to remedy it by facilitating the deposit of public money with national banks neither he nor the President suggests the one natural and proper complete cure, says the Chicago Chronicle.

That is to say, neither of them suggests that the lock-up be prevented by not taking from the people and putting into the treasury more than is needed for public purposes. That is the perfectly obvious and natural thing to do. Yet neither of them suggests it. Why? Because the use of this remedy for a recognized evil would necessarily involve either increased expenditures or a reduction of taxes.

The former would not do, for it might be very unpopular to increase expenditures which are already enormous. If the latter were proposed it would be impossible to suppress those who wish to abolish or reduce the duties which shelter monopoly, and their demand would bring down the sky with a terrific crash.

What? Touch the inviolable tariff or even point a sacrilegious finger at it? Has not Mr. Roosevelt said in his message that "the mere threat (not to speak of the performance)" to "dislocate" our wonderful system of monopoly shelter "would produce paralysis in the business energies of the country?"

Outrageous? Would anybody utter such a threat and strike down the business energy of the country with paralysis? Anybody so abandoned as to do such a thing should be consigned to torment without hope of reprieve. Therefore there must not be even an official whisper of such a thing as relieving the treasury glut by reducing the taxes.

Taxes must not be touched lest we stab prosperity and bring ruin and desolation upon a land rolling in tariff abundance—or abundance of tariff. Such treason is not to be tolerated for an instant in deed or even in word or in thought.

Miss Adah Lee Souseley is ill at her home in Cincinnati.

Ice eight and one-half inches thick was gathered last week in this county.

The late John W. Berkley, of Lexington, left his estate of \$85,000 equally to his four daughters.

Ripley tobacco buyers say there is only a very small per centage of the last crop fit for cigarette leaf.

Mr. J. Barbour Russell has been elected director in the Mason County Cemetery Company in place of the late N. Cooper.

Owensboro captured the next State fair over Louisville and Lexington. The people of the capital of Davies County has all hustlers.

Mr. John Dersch's loss by the recent fire was adjusted Monday at \$150. He was insured in the Greenwich, John L. Chamberlain, agent.

Twenty-three foreign governments and thirty-four States have taken favorable action upon the subject of making exhibits at the World's Fair.

Mr. Riley Owens, one of the claimants in the Case case, was in the city last week. His mother was the granddaughter of the original Shadrach Case.

Members of the Kentucky Distillers' Association have agreed that no attempt will be made to limit the production of whiskey in Kentucky during the present season.

If you want to purchase the purest and best goods on earth go to G. W. Rogers & Co., 127 Market street, where you will find old Bourbon and rye whiskey, apple and peach brandy, California brandy, malt gin, California port, sherry and Maderia, K. I. sweet Catawba and dry Catawba wines &c. We guarantee all of our goods to be strictly pure.

Dress Stuffs! A BARGAIN....

\$2½ to \$5 buys a dress pattern that a fortnight ago would have cost \$5 to \$10. Not to wool Dress Goods are reductions confined—silks have also been sheared of all profit. Never a better time to buy a dress, waist or skirt. Perhaps some neighbor has availed of this sale—ask her opinion of our January bargains—we know her answer will bring you here.

Furs-One Half

The offer can be made in a dozen words. Every fur piece in the store at a reduction of one-half from the marked figures. Owing to the warm fall we marked furs early in December at the lowest prices ever known in the store's history—and from these lowest of low prices we again clip one-half.

Is only a bargain when it is a worth-while article at less than usual price. Last winter's coats would not be cheap to smart dressers at any price.

Every Wrap

In our stock is correctly fashioned and was made for the winter of 1902-3. We didn't carry one coat over from last year. We emphasize this point because it is difficult for anyone to grasp the extraordinary values we are giving in the coat department. You think old-fashioned garments are only possible at such prices. Don't waste time over that fallacy when a glance will instantly confirm every detail of our statement.

D. HUNT & SON

JACOB D. RILEY.

Sudden Death of This Well-Known Citizen This Morning.

Was President of the First National Bank the Last Five or Six Years.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Jacob D. Riley this morning came as a shock to his many friends.

The end came very suddenly about 6 o'clock this morning at his home near Clark's Station. Mr. Riley had gotten up and gone down stairs to start the fires on the lower floor, and when his wife followed shortly afterwards she found him dead, lying across the hearth. His death is attributed to heart disease or a stroke of apoplexy.

Mr. Riley was a son of the late George Riley and was about fifty-eight years of age. His life had been spent in this county. He succeeded the late S. A. Piper as President of the First National Bank some six or seven years ago, and had been a director and President of the bank ever since until at the recent election he declined a re-election and at his request was relieved from further duties as an officer of the bank. His wife, who was a Miss McIlvain, survives him, with one son. He leaves one brother, George, and one sister, Mrs. Ben Longnecker. Mr. Riley was one of Mason County's upright and prosperous citizens, and the news of his death will be learned with sincere regret by his many friends.

The funeral arrangements have not been announced.

This is Your Opportunity!

To get a winter Suit and Overcoat while they are on the front tables at reduced prices. They are marked in plain figures, and not an old garment in the house.

GEORGE H. FRANK & CO. THE NEW STORE.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. Charles Lane returned to Frankfort Monday.

—Mr. Vachel Worthington has gone to Oklahoma.

—The Misses Stahl returned Saturday from a visit at Augusta.

—Mrs. Nora and Nellie Manion were visitors in the city Saturday.

—Mrs. Ollie Stitt has been visiting at Washington the past few days.

—Mr. Charles Fowler, of Alhambra, was a visitor in the city Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford, of Lowell, were visitors in the city Friday.

—Mrs. A. V. Combs and son, of Lexington, have joined Mr. Combs in this city.

—Mrs. Clarence L. Wood is spending the week with Miss Hattie L. Wood in the county.

—Squire John J. Thompson, of Fern Leaf, visited his brother, Mr. Henry Thompson, Sunday.

—Mrs. Sallie Cox is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Judge Wade, of Cincinnati.

—Mr. Omar Lytle, of the Bourbon News, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Lytle.

—Miss Maggie Stahl left Saturday for a visit in the Queen City.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Smoot and son, of the county, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Remington, of Paris.

—Mrs. H. C. Sharp entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Saturday in honor of Mrs. James Robinson, of Florence, Ala.

—Charleston (W. V.) Mail: "Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DeWitt very highly entertained a small crowd at their home in honor of their cousin, Miss Anna Klipp, of Maysville, Ky. Refreshments were served and a musical program followed."

—Miss Beesie Hubbard, of Memphis, has returned home after spending the week with the family of Mr. Abner Ford, of the county. She is a sister of the groom and was maid of honor at the Hubbard-Hord nuptials last week. Miss Hubbard is a stately and very beautiful brunette and is as lovely in character as in personal charms. She made many friends during her brief stay who will be glad to welcome her back to old Mason soon.

The skaters are having fine sport on Watkins' pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Best and Miss Angeline Gault have sold 111½ acres of land between Washington and Murphysville to A. R. Howard at \$90 per acre.

Mason Circuit Court!

James N. Boyd's Adm'r and als., Plaintiffs,
vs.
James N. Boyd's Creditors, Defendants.
Pursuant to an order of reference made by the clerk of this court in vacation in the above styled action, all creditors of James N. Boyd, deceased, are hereby notified to appear before me and present their claims against said decedent, proved as required by law, on or before the 3rd day of Feb., 1903. Given under my hand this 19th day of January, 1903.
C. BURGESS TAYLOR,
19-dtf Master Commissioner, M. C.

Administrator's Notice to Creditors!

All creditors of Patrick Larkin, deceased, are hereby notified to present their claims, duly proved as required by law. All persons owing said Larkin will call and settle at once. Leave claims with Jno. Duley at State National Bank or with Administrator, THOMAS OWENS, Administrator Patrick Larkin, deceased.

LOST.

LOST—Sunday, either on an electric car or on street, a gentleman's finger ring, with large green set. Please return to JAMES HASSON, 433 West Second street. 19-3t

REWARD—Lost, a diamond stud set ear-ring last Thursday or Friday. Leave at this office and get reward. 19-3t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—The James H. Trisler farm of sixty-eight acres on pike between Orangeburg and Retortville. Comfortable residence and good outbuildings. Plenty fruit. Well watered. Parties desiring to purchase, see or write WM. MATTINGLY, Retortville, Ky. dtf10

FOR SALE OR RENT—A one-story brick house with three rooms and kitchen on East Front street, Fifth ward. Apply to J. E. NICHOLSON, No. 218 Limestone street. 19-dtf

FORMALIN AGAIN CURES.

Efficacy of the New Remedy for Septicemia is Proved.

NEW YORK, Jan 17.—The second case of blood poisoning ever cured in New York by the injection of a solution of formalin into the veins of the patient was reported to-day from Hahnemann Hospital, where a remarkable and successful experiment was made on a young mother.

The patient, whose case was considered hopeless yesterday, regained her normal temperature this afternoon, and in all probability will leave the hospital within the next twenty-four hours.

Dr. Barrows' formula was adhered to closely, the solution being one part of formalin to 5,000 of sterilized water.

A large vein of the woman's arm was opened and the solution was drained into the vein through a fine pipette or tube.

Half an hour later the woman had a chill. Her temperature then went to 105. The chill, however, lasted only a few minutes. At midnight the patient was very much better.

To-day her condition became normal, and it was announced at the hospital that her recovery would be complete.

"Faust."

There are comparatively few plays to-day that possess the fascination of Lewis Morrison's version of Goethe's "Faust," which appears at the Washington Opera House Thursday, Jan. 22nd. Among scholars and literateurs of all countries, it is conceded that Goethe is not only the greatest poet of Germany, but he is one of the greatest poets of all ages. Morrison's version of "Faust" adheres to the beauty and symmetry of Goethe's lines as strictly as the most ardent admirer of Goethe could wish. To this fact and to the superb scenery, costumes and electrical effects, much of the success of "Faust" is due.

Seats go on sale Wednesday morning at Nelson's.

Representative Kehoe and Representative-elect Sherley, of Louisville, were at the War Department Friday to consult with the Chief Engineers about Ohio river improvements. Mr. Kehoe has also requested the department, in proceeding with the Big Sandy river improvements, to first raise the dam at Louisa, before waiting for the completion of the Fork dams.

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Food that forms the greatest fund of vitality is the food that contains the greatest amount of strength-giving properties.

The grain which makes the flour which makes **Uneeda Biscuit** must possess to a high degree the elements of nutrition.

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Choice of any of our Calicoes, 4c.

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SPECIAL—Ten styles of Table Linens, regular price, 65c; sale price 49c.

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Twenty per cent. discount on all White Goods.

Good Heavy Brown Cotton, one yard wide, 4c.

All Ribbons go at 20 per cent. discount.

CORSET SALE—Her Majesty, regular price \$3.25, sale price 95c; Armorside, regular price \$1, sale price 59c. One table of regular price 50c, sale price 25c.

FURS—All go at about one-half price.

Lonsdale Green Ticket Cotton, regular price 8c, sale price 7c. Less than mill price by the case. Twenty yards to a customer.

UNDERWEAR—Ladies' and Men's—50c grade, sale price 39c; 25c grade, sale price 19c.

All Children's Underwear at 20 per cent. discount.

OUTINGS—10c and 12c grades, sale price 7c. Light and dark.

SILK BENGALINE—Pink, Green and Blue, worth \$1, sale price 99c.

Our Celebrated No. 1,000 Long Cloth, twelve yards to a piece, worth \$1.50, sale price \$1.19.

Our \$1 Corduroys go at 70c.

Vaseline, 3c a bottle.

All Linens at 20 per cent. discount.

NECK TIES—50c quality, sale price, 39c; 25 cent quality, sale price, 19c.

Balance of Silk Waists and Royal Flannel Waists at about half price.

Choice of any Coat in the house \$5.

Blankets and Comforts, all at a discount of 20 per cent.

Wool Soap, 3c a bar.

SPECIAL—Taffeta Silks, purple, cerise and green. \$1 quality, sale price, 49c.

Golf Vests, all grades, \$1.25 our regular price, sale price, 79c.

A good outing, 4c. per yard.

MEN'S SHIRTS—Fifty cent quality, sale price 29c; 75c quality, sale price 49c; \$1 quality, sale price 59c.

Cameo Ladies' Cloth, the new cloth for ladies' undergarments. Be sure and see it. Regular price 12c, sale price, ten yards for 98c.

All Embroideries less 20 per cent. discount.

Ladies' all wool Stockings, worth 20 c., sale price 10c.

Ladies' Skirts at 20 per cent. discount.

Ladies' Fleece Hose, 25c. quality, sale price 15c.

Yard-wide Bleached Muslin, 4c. per yard.

Royal Cuticle Soap, 4 bars for 10c.

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12,000 Cans of Finest Tomatoes That Can Be Packed.

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Finest Teas, new crop just out of bond. No 10-cent war tax on them now, so can give much finer goods for same money than heretofore. I can please you.

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Is the most popular flour on the market to-day because it is the best. If you want good goods—and you can't afford to buy anything else—I want your trade; and I think I ought to have it. I will deal fairly with you at all times, and if anything goes to any of my customers that is not right I am always ready to make it right.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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NOTICE...

All certificates that were awarded cash prizes in our Christmas Distribution have been paid with the exception of numbers 1585, 7658, 9245, 3107, which entitle the holders to \$20, \$5.00, \$1.00 and \$1.00 respectively. Unless these are presented for redemption by Saturday night, the 24th inst., those numbers will be considered void and the amounts will be re-awarded, according to the terms printed on each certificate.

Barkley Cash Shoe Company

Kentucky has 3,234 Sunday schools.

New currants, citron, raisins—Calhoun's.

Fresh fish daily at Cablish's, Market street.

Stop for sale on and after January 15th at Limestone distillery.

Good audiences are attending the meetings of Rev. J. J. Dickey at Parry's school house.

Mr. William Case, the tobacco buyer, and one of the claimants in the Case case, was in the city Monday.

In the Commercial Tribune's painting contest Miss Elizabeth Johnson, aged seven, of this city, received special mention.

The Scobee-Williams Spoke Company has incorporated at Winchester with a capital of \$20,000, to engage in the manufacture of spokes and handles.

Low Seeker, while doing a "turn" on the stage at Harlem, N. Y., slipped and fell, breaking one of his arms. The accident has caused him to cancel his Western tour.

SHOP-WORN

Blank Books

On Our Cheap Counter.

Overstock of Ink will sell at 50c, and 60c. per quart.

Envelopes at \$1 per 1000.

Job prices on Letterheads and Billheads.

Bargains in Ping Pong. Cut prices.

J. T. Kackley & Co.

THE RACKET

We desire to thank our friends who have so liberally patronized us throughout the past year, and we would remind you that with the advent of the new year, it shall be our earnest endeavor to meet your wants in everything which our very miscellaneous stock embraces.

The Right Goods at the Right Prices

will be our motto for 1903. See some of our prices:

Gloves and Mittens 10c to \$1 per pair.

Lamps, both plain and fancy, 25c to \$1.55.

Good serviceable Table Cutlery 48c to \$1.20 per set.

Ladies' and Gents' Underwear 25c up.

Hammers and Hatchets 10c to 45c.

Saws, Braces and Bits, Files and Pocket Rules, at lowest prices.

Granite and Tinware, and a nice line of Table Ware, including some bargains in Dinner Sets.

Everything cheap at The Racket.

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Per pound this week. Baked fresh each day and as good as most crackers that you pay 10c. per pound for.

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YOU WILL NEVER AGAIN HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO BUY AS HIGH CLASS

Shirts For 65c

As you have during our present shirt sale. Remember these shirts are all of the best standard makes in the shirt world. They comprise the productions of the George P. Ide, Monarch, Wilson Bros. and Lion Manufacturers, and are sold everywhere at \$1 and \$1.25. For the next ten days you buy them from us for 65c. cash.

Our 20 Per Cent.

Cash Discount Sale

is certainly appreciated by the people far and near. We desire to say in reply to the many inquiries, both verbal and by mail, that the sale positively closes on the last day of this month. Although our business has been abnormally large, our stock was so heavy that there is no fear but what we can fit and suit all late comers.

See our display of Suitings which we now make up for \$25.

D. HECHINGER & CO.,

THE HOME STORE.

Messrs. John and Burr Richardson, of Jersey Ridge, have finished delivering their crop of 14,400 pounds of tobacco to Mr. William Stiles. They received \$1,158, an average of a little over 8 cents a pound.

The damage to the Mitchell, Finch & Co. bank building by the recent fire was satisfactorily adjusted Monday at \$500. It was insured in the agencies represented by Dr. Fleming and Mr. John L. Chamberlain.

BARGAIN WEEK

...AT...

The New York Store!

Of Hays & Co., beginning Monday, Jan. 19.

Dry Goods.

Heavy brown Cotton 4c.
Good blue Calicoes 4c.
Heavy dark Outings 4c.
Very best Flannellette 7c.
Best Apron Gingham 5c.
Ten cent quality Outings 6c.
Unbleached Sheetings 15c.
Bleached Sheetings 16c.

Millinery.

Ladies' very fine Walking Hats 49c.
Misses' fine all Wool Tams, worth 75c., this week 39c.
Children's Hats 29c., worth 75c.

Notions.

Best Hairpins 3c. a box.
Rubber Hairpins 10c. a dozen.
Ladies' black seamless Hose 5c.
Ladies' fine fancy Hose 9c.
Fascinators 14c.
Fine Umbrella Shawls 49c., worth \$1.
Baby Undershirts 5c.
Ladies' heavy Union Suits 24c.
Boys' very heavy Fleece Underwear 24c., worth 50c.
Men's Underwear, good quality, 18c. a garment, worth 35c.
Men's heavy Fleece Underwear 29c., worth 60c.

LADIES' WRAPS and FURS—Come and pick your choice. Price will be made to suit you.

HAYS & CO.

P. S.—Extra bargains in Shoes.



HERE'S A POINTER!

A Proposition to Farmers That Would Tickle the "Original Rib."

We are pleased to announce that notwithstanding the recent advance in wire goods, our prices on **AMERICAN FIELD FENCE** will remain the same for a **FEW DAYS**. A purchase of five car-loads late in the Fall enables us to continue the old quotations for a short time only. **PRICES ARE GOING HIGHER** and we would not be surprised at any time to receive advices of a further advance. Our present figures are much lower than we can promise to name a month hence and are subject to withdrawal without notice. Farmers would do well to anticipate future needs and buy while we are in position to make this offer.

THE FRANK OWENS HARDWARE COMPANY

HERE AND THERE.

Items of Interest From Nearby Towns and Villages Contributed by the Bulletin's Corps of Correspondents.

MAYSVILLE, Jan. 19th.—Misses Sallie and Emma Hickey will entertain with dancing at their hospitable home to-morrow evening.

Miss Edith Tamme, of Paris, who has been a visitor here the past week, leaves to-morrow to visit relatives in Ripley.

Mrs. Mary Gill is the guest of her sister in Indiana.

Miss Emma Guffoye and brother have returned to their home at Mt. Sterling after an extended visit to relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Chris. Helbling and family leave this week for their new home in Ohio. Mr. Helbling has purchased a farm near Ripley.

Hon. and Mrs. Walter Matthews and daughters attended the wedding of their son, Dr. Walter Matthews and Miss Josie Mae Turner, at Eminence, last Thursday. The many friends of Dr. Matthews wish for him and bride the brightest and happiest of futures.

Miss Williams is the guest of relatives in Augusta.

Mr. Ed. Walton has purchased the farm owned by Mr. Wood Browning about four miles south of here. Mr. Browning is talking of locating out West.

Mr. Frank P. O'Donnell was here the first of the week talking politics and making himself agreeable to all. Mr. O'Donnell has many warm

friends here who are taking great interest in the race of this deserving young man for Circuit Judge.

MORANSBURG, Jan. 17.—Miss Sallie Haughaboo entertained at her beautiful home on "Hill Top" Thursday night in honor of her cousins, Misses Lizzie and Mary Haughaboo. The guests who were present were Misses Sylvia and Bertina Ricketts, Myrtle and Rena Sheeler, Susie Moran, Emma Huber, Bettie Moran, Anna Lee Lauderhack, Lizzie, Mary and Sallie Haughaboo, Messrs. Matt Worthington, Eldon Killgore, Herman Donovan, John and Ben Moran, Calvin Haughaboo, Glenn Marsh, John and James Coffee, Pete and Fred Wells, Ollie Killgore, John, Arthur and Leslie Chamberlain, Allen Slack, William Slack, Grover Griffith. Refreshments were bountiful.

Kentucky Oil Fields.

Correspondence of the Manufacturers' Record from Lexington, Ky., tells of the development of the oil field between Lexington and the mouth of the Big Sandy to an extent justifying a pipe line system, part already built, part nearing completion, and the rest to be finished in the coming spring, at a cost of \$1,500,000. The company operating in this field, said to be a branch of the Standard Oil, has, in addition to building this pipe line, taken leases on about 2,000,000 acres of land at a minimum rental of \$200,000 a year, and by the spring will have 250 drilling machines at work.

PITHY POINTS.

It's the least of Youtsey's thoughts now to pose as a 'possum.

Taylor may yet find the Hoosier State untenable ground for his carcass.

Taylor can now point to the wisdom of his course in refusing to be tried at all.

New trials may be the least of the desires of Powers and Howard before many days.

Likely the hat won't be passed much farther in the matter of securing a new trial for Powers. Taylor reasoned probably that it would be more desirable to cross the Ohio river than the river itself.

Taylor demonstrated that one trip to Indiana was more efficacious than any number of trials, new or old.

Youtsey gave it out before this that "Powers had better accept his sentence as I myself have done, and not ask a new trial."

Taylor was well aware that some one at some time would make a clean breast of the assassination plot, was the reason of his putting the river between himself and the dark and bloody grounds.

O. H. P. Thomas & Co., Nos. 120 and 122 Market street, Maysville, Ky., sell Old Time Bourbon and Maysville Club Rye, direct from the distillery, by the quart, gallon or barrel; the finest in the State; guaranteed pure and as represented as to age. **THE H. E. POGUE DISTILLERY CO.**

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Endorsement by residents of Maysville.

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Read this statement:

Mr. C. H. Cooper, of 219 West Second street, says: "For many years I suffered from attacks of kidney trouble, and had reason to think I was fast drifting into Bright's disease. I had the great good fortune to learn about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them at J. Jas. Wood & Son's drug store. The remarkable benefit I obtained from the treatment is a guarantee of the marvelous value and effectiveness of Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Millie Payne, a partly demented colored woman, died at Washington Monday morning after a long illness. She formerly belonged in the family of Mr. George Wood.

All members of Wyandotte Tribe No. 3, I. O. R. M., who will take part in the Haymakers' minstrels, are requested to meet to-night at 7 o'clock at G. A. R. hall.

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February 5th, 1903.

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For fire and tornado insurance call on W. HOLTON KEY, successor to W. W. Baldwin & Co., Court street.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

We are authorized to announce FRANK P. O'DONNELL as a candidate for Circuit Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JAMES F. HARBESON as a candidate for Circuit Judge, subject to the Democratic convention at Vauceburg February 25, 1903.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC WOODWARD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JAMES E. KEY as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES H. PARRY as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FARM LABOR SCARCE

In Central Kentucky and Farmers Find it Difficult to Get Help.

[Harrodsburg Herald.]

A leading farmer of Woodford County who has been a farmer all his life and cultivates 500 acres of land, has arranged to quit farming March 1st, and gives as his reason the increasing difficulty—almost impossibility—of employing labor to cultivate his crops. This is a problem which is daily becoming of more serious concern to nearly all the farmers of this section. In Woodford, as elsewhere, farm labor consists almost entirely of negroes. In the past year scores of the most efficient colored farm hands have migrated to the Virginias and Tennessee to work in coal mines and on railroad construction, while others have gone to Indianapolis, the so-called "Negro's Heaven." Of the negroes left, a very considerable number prefer a life of ease and comparative idleness in town, however scant the living, to work in the country and decline to engage in the latter. As a result of these conditions the farmers are up against a pretty difficult question. Some time ago several Mercer farmers got together and had about concluded to import Japanese labor, but since we have heard nothing of the matter.

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Of the Foreman Shoe Company, Fifth and Vine streets, Cincinnati, O. We will be glad to show you these shoes. They are the kind many rich people from Maysville have been wearing. Men's \$5 shoes for \$2.98. Come and see 'em. They have Foreman's name on them and Dan's price.

W. H. MEANS, Manager.